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TITLE : SPRING WASHER  
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**RE-SUBMITTAL OF ELECTION WITH TRAVERSE**

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Dear Sir:

An Election Requirement dated January 7, 2005 was received by Applicant. On

January 17, 2005, Applicant submitted its Election. Attached is a copy of Applicant's Election With Traverse, a copy of the postcard showing receipt of same by the United States Patent and Trademark Office, along with a copy of the Election Requirement.

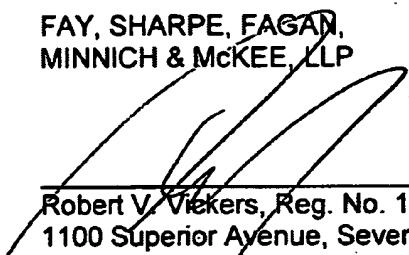
It has come to Applicant's attention that the United States Patent and Trademark Office's file for this application does not include Applicant's Election. Accordingly, Applicant hereby re-submits this document for consideration. Applicant submits that the attached document is a true and exact copy of the document filed by Applicant on January 17, 2005.

Applicant respectfully submits that the loss of this document is not the fault of Applicant and, therefore, Applicant believes that no fee is required. However, if it is determined that a fee is necessary for this Re-submittal, please charge any such fee to Deposit Account No. 06-0308.

Respectfully submitted,

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